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**Part LXI**

# **National Labor Relations Board**

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**Semiannual Regulatory Agenda**

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD (NLRB)

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Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions

AGENCY: National Labor Relations Board.

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: The National Labor Relations Board is publishing its semiannual regulatory agenda pursuant to section

4(b) of Executive Order 12866. The agenda contains all rulemakings which have been completed since the last agenda was published or which are still pending or scheduled for consideration during the next 12 months.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John J. Toner, Executive Secretary, National Labor Relations Board, 1099 14th Street NW., Suite 11600, Washington, DC 20570; telephone (202) 273-1940.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Board identified three rulemakings for inclusion in the last agenda. The Board<sup>1</sup>

has since withdrawn all three rulemakings from active consideration, however, given that no action had been taken by the Board on the rulemakings for several years and the Board's determination to focus its time and resources on reducing the backlog of adjudicated cases pending before the Board. Thus, the three rulemaking proceedings listed below have been withdrawn.

Dated, Washington, DC, February 18, 1998. By direction of the Board.

John J. Toner,  
Executive Secretary.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD (NLRB)

Completed Actions

4352. REPRESENTATION CASE PROCEDURES

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 29 USC 156

CFR Citation: 29 CFR 102.60 et seq

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Board undertook a review of its current representation case rules in order to eliminate any that are antiquated and to streamline its procedures so as to minimize litigation and enhance the possibility of stipulated election agreements. However, on February 18, 1998, the Board indefinitely suspended further action on this review.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Withdrawn	02/18/98	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3142-AA01

4353. CODIFICATION OF STANDARDIZED REMEDIAL PROVISIONS IN BOARD DECISIONS REGARDING OFFERS OF REINSTATEMENT, MAKE-WHOLE REMEDIES, COMPUTATION OF INTEREST, AND POSTING OF NOTICES

Priority: Other Significant

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Legal Authority: 29 USC 156

CFR Citation: 29 CFR 103.101; 29 CFR 103.102; 29 CFR 103.103; 29 CFR 103.104

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Board issued a notice of proposed rulemaking to require that interest on backpay and other monetary awards in unfair labor practice proceedings be compounded daily in order to compensate discriminatees for the delay in receiving their wages, and to promote prompt payment of legal obligations. The notice also proposed to amend the Board's rules to incorporate certain remedial provisions frequently appearing in Board decisions. However, on February 18, 1998, the Board indefinitely withdrew the notice of proposed rulemaking from active consideration.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/05/92	57 FR 7897

representation case procedures and standardized remedial provisions in Board unfair labor practice decisions but dissented from the withdrawal of the

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	04/30/92	
Withdrawn	02/23/98	63 FR 8890

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3142-AA03

4354. APPROPRIATENESS OF REQUESTED SINGLE LOCATION BARGAINING UNITS IN REPRESENTATION CASES

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 29 USC 156

CFR Citation: 29 CFR 103

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Board published an advance notice of proposed rulemaking and a notice of proposed rulemaking on the issue of the appropriateness of requested single location bargaining units in representation cases. The Board sought to promulgate a rule or rules to limit to the extent possible the necessity to adjudicate the appropriateness of petitioned-for single facility units in each case. However, a rider attached to the 1996, 1997, and 1998 appropriations bills prohibits the Agency from expending any funds to

rulemaking proceeding regarding the appropriateness of single location bargaining units in representation cases.

<sup>1</sup> Members Fox, Liebman, Hurtgen, and Brame. Chairman Gould agreed with his colleagues to withdraw the rulemaking proceedings regarding

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promulgate a final rule, and on February 18, 1998, the Board (Members Fox, Liebman, Hurtgen, and Brame; Chairman Gould dissenting) indefinitely withdrew the notice of proposed rulemaking from active consideration.

**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	06/02/94	59 FR 28501

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM Comment Period End	07/29/94	
NPRM	09/28/95	60 FR 50146
NPRM Comment Period End	11/27/95	
NPRM Comment Period Extended	03/15/96	61 FR 10709
NPRM Comment Period Extended	04/12/96	
Withdrawn	02/23/98	63 FR 8890

**Small Entities Affected:** None

**Government Levels Affected:** None

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